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Farm Loans a Specialty. Conveyancing and Notary Work | August term. executed with neatness and dispatch.

No. 11 Harper Block Mexico, Mo.

Geo. Marshall is in Fulton on business.

Farber is going to have a bank with \$10,000 capital. Mrs. R L. Forrist is in Fort commissioners.

Lee, New Jersey, on a visit. A bicycle tournament is suggested as an attraction for the Mex-

100 Fair. County Court meets in adjourned

Luke Emerson has gone to Spain again for another invoice of Catalonian jacks.

ROOM TO RENT. - Large room LEDGER office.

\$3.50 per barrel. Horace Mundy, the new super

intendent of the county poor farm, is making a splendid record. Conductor Mat Stacy is down

from Kansas City on business and of public road, change granted. made the LEDGER a pleasant call.

of town, has a mare that recently granted. J. T. Williams Tuesday sold T.T. for public road, continued to Torreyson's residence in West August term for payment Mexico to Charley Prochnow for damages.

P. C. Mallory has returned to his home in Santa Rosa, Califor-

W. A. Morris, C. B. Morris, Jas.

Mexico. Mr. Hugh Wilson raises bigger then any one we know of. His pie Court since last report : plant is unusually early and large

The case of W. A. Edmonston, appellant, vs. R. A. Herring, respondent, appealed from this county to the Kansas CityCourt ofAppeals,

has been affirmed During last week A. E. Garrett vorce. bought of T. F. Roden, 18 acres of

land, just northeast of Mexico. Sophie Phillips et. al., taxes. This is a nice piece ground and some day will be very valuable.

Fred Anderson was in Mexico Morday for the first time in about a United Elevators, venue. year. Fred has a host of warm friends all over Missouri and is Meddows, divorce. one of the most popular salesmen J. T. Williams, admr. est. Ruth we know of.

Prof. J. P. Gass, of Fulton, is in Mexico on a visit. Prof. Gass has thorough teachers in the State.

Hon. F. M. Cockrell spoke at Bowling Green on Saturday to one of the largest crowds that ever as-

side of the city limits should unload the same at considerable distance from the main road. Garbage has been dumped near the road east of Mexico to such an extent that it is disagreeable to people coming to and going from town.

John W. Rodgers, who was sent to the insane asylum just before being tried for murder, writes to Sheriff Adams to "come over and bring him home as he is sane." Guess he is not same or he would news? not say so, as he is to be tried for buggy harness and he murder whenever he becomes sane.

While in Louisiana this week we had the pleasure of meeting Ed Glenn, Secretary of the Louisiana, Mo., fair association. Mr., Glenn is the right man in the right place ty for the years 1889 and 1890 : and says that everything points to their fair this season being by all odds the best ever held in that

town. Rumor says some parties went out from Fulton Saturday night and notified Dr. Halley to "move out." Halley told them to come into the quarantine and move him. The controversy then ended. We are informed that Dr. Halley is a day or so.

COUNTY COURT.

Done-New Bridges to Be Erected. ion all last week with all the Justices present. A large amount i miscellaneous business was attended to and the quarterly set- Mexico Ledger, J. T. Bradshaw, of liever in showing up our country tlement made with County Treas- the Lebanon Rustic, Theodore D. with the rest of the country, urer Jas. A. Abbay. Dr. C. A. Fisher, of the Farmington Times prompts us to take these bold and Rothwell was appointed County and W. L. Thomas, of the School unsolicited steps. Coroner instead of Dr. E. S. Cave, Knoeble et al for change in public road will be considered at the next regular meeting of the court.

for change of road, to be consider-OUR FACILITIES ARE COMPLETE ed at the next term of the court. Petitioners R. A. Armstrong et al to remove obstruction from public road, overruled.

W. A. Stowers et al petitioners

J. S. Barnes et al petitioners for public road, change granted. J. W. James et al petitioners for change of public road, commission-

er's report filed, found to be insufficient, new report required at The court ordered that \$25 be apportioned from the special road

fund for each school district, composing road districts, and \$12 to be apportioned to each fractional district for the benefit of roads. S. T. Hook et al petitioners for change in public road, referred to

Theo. Bussen, of Martinsburg. was granted a dram shop license. Grand and Petit Jurors for the June term of the Circuit Court were

session June 1st to let contracts for County Bridge Commissioner C. On May the 8th, the court, with part of the county and looked at who are not giving in their property daughter in Callaway county.

bridges were asked for. The court ordered the tax levy suitable for an office. Apply at for 1891 and the State being 30 A few wagon loads of corn were the county be 30 and the rate for not turned into the Assessor. The The remains were interred at Seed sold this week on the streets at read purposes 10 cents, making a Alliance in Monroe county took Tick Baptist church Sunday. Mr. total of 70 cents.

> road overseer of road district 54. John Byars was appointed road overseer of road district 21. J. S. Shock petitioner for change

J. R. Daniel, petitioner for C. F. Bush, 41-2 miles northeast change in public road, change gave birth to two fine mule colts. T. D. Phears et al petitioners

> J. M. Crockett et al petitioners for change of public road, con-

If the party who stole Stick- The court adjourned until June back the butter he can keep the will be considered and the letting will be approved.

see his fine display of

New Suits. The following are the new cases pumpkins and bigger pie plant filed for the June term of Circuit

Jacob Flora vs. Frank Coatsworth, admr. H. C. Laughlin, lien

C. Aultman & Co. vs. P. J. Branstetter, note. John Spottswood vs. Joe Arm-

strong, sr, et. al., damages. Ben F. Mays vs. Dora Mays, di-J. W. Atchison, Collector vs

L. P. Crigler, application for license to practice law.

Mary Ketchen vs. St. Louis Reuben Meddows vs. Francis

Smith vs. John M. Smith, note. The docket closes next Saturday.

You have been paying G. L. Ferris.

Bulletin Board Report.

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10.	0	9	5	11	42	13
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8.	0	13	6	6	29	11
7.	0	0	1	3	19	7
6.	0	0	1	3	9	1
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Have you heard the ews? Ferris is selling knows no competition. the suspices of the Portuguese Mexico, at the Court House Satur- was performed on Tom at St. said the captain, his wrath rising. Call and See.

Live Stock in Audrain. The following figures show the increase of live stock in this coun-Horses-11226, 12424; increase,

Mules-3847, 3841; decrease, 6, Jack Stock-172, 173; increase,1. Nest Cattle-32837, 31692; decrease, 1145. Hogs-16111, 18471; increase,

4972.

Ferris now sells buggy advertisers.

Missouri Press Association.

The executive committee of the Missouri Press Association, consisting of Mesers, J. West Goodwin.

Press Association. continue three days. The pro-gramme for the occasion was dis-ing 150 head of fine steers, Cummings, of New York, and Hon. Jake Child, ex-Minister to Siam,

either to the Thousand Islands, Lebanon Springs, Mo., Excelsior Springs, Mo., or Hot Spings, Ark. Two hundred Missouri editors are expected to attend the convention. LOOK OUT.

Tax Dodgers Should Be On the Qui Vive-The Alliance at Work With a Sharp Stick.

investigate the Assessor's books of time, is overseeing for him. endeavor to find out if there are where. D. Rodgers, visited the western any tax payers in Audrain county Mrs. Dick Watts is visiting her the various bridge sites where to the Assessor. They will make a thorough investigation of the Assessor's book, and also the records of the County Recorder, so Watts and wife died Saturday night cents, it was orderd that the rate for as to see if any money loaned is with congestion of the stomach. R. A. Hanger was appointed velopments resulted. We under-

MAY FESTIVAL.

Prof. Treloar to Give a Grand Musical Festival May 25-One Hundred Singers in the Choir.

On the night of May 25th Prof. Treloar will favor the public with grand musical concert and May dred singers in the choir and take in the races this fall. The school bonds of M.M.Gooch, This concert will be for the benefit marriage of Mr. Geo. Jesse and much interested in the Rush Hill against the muddy, uncertain banks We cannot go and enter there nia, after a pleasant visit to relatives here.

Kate B. Sharp and Gus Alexander of the Presbyterian Church and Miss Ida Byrns, daughter of market where they get seven cents of the old river. ley's butter and umbrella will bring 1st, when several bridge contracts cal festivals ever given in this costly and numerous. portion of Missouri.

I have added harness to TAKE YOUR LADIES my stock and will sur- of cheap.

pleasant trip to Colorado. Ben found no place he liked so well as tons.

Two Bright Young Intellects.

"Well, good night. Miss A—" stay two minutes longer I shall be er, Mis: Willie Douglass, of Calla-

indiscreet enough to kiss you,"

of minutes." It is only necessary to state that the young man in question is posthe young man in question is pos-sessor of a bright intellect, and he blacksmith shop almost day and quickly embraced the situation, night. and we can further assert that the

COME AND COUNT to Ferris for the light run-THEM and you will find ning Plano. 50 buggies, carriages and spring wagons under one

roof at Ferris'. On Saturday night Leona Estella, the 7 year old daughter of Wm. child and the joy of her parents' board report of the Mexico Public hearts, who have the sympathy of it in a year or so.

Ready For Business. The Insurance committee of the for business. This committee is composed of E. E. Jones, J. N. Cross. S. O. Wright, E. W. Ridgway, P. R. Cauthorn, J. B. Pool

and S. O. Graham. There is only one railroad into the interior of Africa. It is under government and runs 180 miles from Loando toward the interior. to elect delegates to the coming dis- which consisted in removing three When finished it will penetrate trict F. & L. U. J. J. Sins, several hundred miles farther. Meantime it is in full operation as far as it has gone with daily trains. It was built by native negro labor.

A Good Idea. tember, on "How to Secure Subscribers for a Newspaper." Tell 'em to run a good paper, Bob, and

at astonishing low prices. guest of Rev. A. A. Wallace.

SEED TICK AND LOST COR-

SEED TICK AND LOST CORNER, of the Sedalia Bazoo, J. W. Jacks, Mo., May 11.-Not seeing in the of the Montgomery Standard, Sam great Democratic bible (THE LED-Kellar, of the Lebanon Republican, GER) anything from these parts, Walter Williams, of the Columbia and thinking a few facts would not Herald, Robt. M. White, of the be amiss, and also being a firm be-

and Home, of St. Louis, met yester- The Rev. Wm. J. Jesse preachresigned. The petition of Fred day at the Laclede to arrange for ed one of his eloquent sermons to the time and place to hold the next a large congregation of auditors on annual meeting of the Missonri last Sunday at Seed Tick Church. St. Louis was selected and the 135 head of cattle for early feeding. meeting will be held on the second | R. T. Freeman & Son, proprie-Tuesday of next September, to tors and owners of the celebrated

of Indian corn on the Buckner ranch.

convention an excursion, to last a months old, that measures 3: 101-2 week or ten days, will be given in height. It is well proportioned, good style and a fine saddler. Who can beat it?.

Mr. Garl Lockeridge has been in these parts buying up cows and heifers. He paid good prices. Joe Bomar, Dick Muir and Wm. Vance have finished planting a large crop of corn for R. T. Freeman & Son.

Wm. Britt, the hog man of this section, is planting an immense The F, & L. U. has appointed a crop of corn. Will is doing well tractors and builders, who want to committee, as we understand it, to in swine. Andy Rogers, at leisure

this county. This committee is John Lockerldge has cured sevcomposed of W. T. Lott, S. O. eral horses of spavin that were this firm and get estimates before Graham and G. N. Wales. This pronounced incurable. John decommittee is now at work and will serves well and will do well any

Logan Watts is working for O. Dishman.

The little daughter of Wm. carts. this course and some startling de- Watts and wife have the sympathy Weather fine and farmers progress sad affliction and bereavement.

John Hodge, of near Concord, has been visiting friends here. R. T. Freeman & Son have been almost over run with business for the past week or ten days.

Mrs. J. L. Bomer and Mrs. Jno. Crum have been quite ill of late is reported much better. with fever, but we are happy to say are convalescent. Thos. Lockeridge is assisting

at the domino party given at the of sugar since April 1st. said a young man the other evening residence of Mr. and Mrs. John to a Dwightville girl whom he was Crum in honor of Miss Lizzie Hall. visiting. "I think it's better for The school at Seed Tick is prome to go. I feel certain that if I gressing finely under the able teach- church, is the cheap and elegant

Judge Rogers says he will have his threshing machine in tri:n to tackle the immense wheat crop.

Wm. Kesler has planted a large crop of corn and is running his blacksmith shop almost day and night.

Plano Binders and Courtney Leslie Cole Herman Courtney Leslie

Mowers take the lead; go Courtney Lestie Cornett Mrs. Sue Darnell James F. Davis George

Valuable Property. Through the agency of Capt. D. E. Shea, Walker Polleck, of this city, has purchased the old Dick

Rountree farm of 160 acres just new and at bottom prices. w2t been re-elected superintendent of \$12 to \$16 for buggy har- M. and A. E. Watts died at their one quarter of a mile east of the the Fulton Public School. He is ness; now come and get residence, seven miles south of city limits from Ira Hall, of Calione of the most conscientious and them for 8, 9 and 10 dol- Mexico, with inflammation of the fornia, and 8. G. Burnett, of Kan-camping out in Callaway county bowels. The remains were interred Sunday at Union Chapel cemetery. Little Leona was a bright Walker will double his money on all well. He went to work at once

harness. G.L. Ferris.

A Strong Ticket. ened.-Mexico Ledger. clare for the free coinage of silver. ty. They were taken to Jefferson -Lexington Intelligencer.

Notice to Sub F. & L. Unions of Audrain. the Audrain Co. F. & L. U. at of this city. Quite an operation day, May the 28, 1891, at 2 o'clock Mary's Hospital in St. Louis,

Please Take Notice. Persons who subscribed to the Liberty church fund, either to Mr. Bob White, of the Mexico LED- not paid, will please call on J. D. money is needed. Respectfully, A. B. DANIEL.

> Ferris'. W. R. Dobyns and wife are the the cry of the Northern colored and the captain took his other guests of J. D. Tucker.

Buggies, Phætons and

HOUSTON & TRIMBLE.

in Established and Reliable Firm Doing an Immense Business.

The lumber firm composed of A. the northwest corner of the Public D., LL. D. plete line of all kinds of building cash; in this way it can afford to 2, 8 o'clock, p. m. sell at the lowest possible cash figures. Parties who desire to cussed in an informal way, and it Pete Crum is planting 160 acres to a fine house should not fail to get estimates from Houston & Trimble before buying their mato deliver addresses. After the J. T. Watts has a fine colt, three terials. This firm will take great pleasure in making estimates for you, no matter whether you buy from them or not. A great deal of building is now going on throughout the city and county and the public is interested in knowing where they can get the best material for the least money. This firm delivers lumber free of charge to anyone within the city, which is quite an item in the cost of erecting a building. Particular attention and special rates given to conuse a large amount of material. We are sure it will pay anyone buying materials.

-G. L. Ferris invites the rooms, teachers' rooms, &c., all in other States. The prespects of ladies to call and see his splendid condition and free of the college are cheering. mammoth stock of surries, phætons, buggies and MISSOURI RIVER STORIES. up threw him into the weeds and

WORCESTER ITEMS.

WORCESTER, Mo., May 12 .stand this investigation is to be of the entire community in their sing finely. Several of our farmers have finished planting corn and whether it would be advisable for landin'. I'm one of the meanest

more are nearly through. Wheat never looked finer. This neighborhood has the best wheat in the county-so say our farmers. Mrs. C. G. Baker, who has been dangerously ill for the past week,

The schools in this vicinity un der the management of Misses Bailey, Underwood and Stevenson ungainly steamer began to swing testival at the Ferris Grand Opera Geo. Waters in training his young are all in flourishing condition and around for the landing. The lum-House. There will be one hun. gelding, "Jay Eye Love," who will show to a marked degree, woman's bering craft slowly obeyed her

gubernatorial power. twenty pieces in the orchestra. The event of the season was the The people in this part are very minutes her guards were grating will be one of the grandest musi. Richard Byrns. The presents were per pound for live poultry, eleven "What do you want?" asked O. Dishman is desirous of an twenty pounds of standard granu- man who sauntered up the plank. early meeting with a rag dealer, as lated sugar and twenty-two pounds he has seme choice rags to dispose of light brown sugar for one dollar. Such a market as this is worth the boat with a critical eye. Sallee, C. D. Budd and Joe Inlow are at Florida, Mo., tor a week's fishing.

D. R. American Sallee, C. D. Budd and Joe Inlow to the mammoth ware-prise you. Fine single buggy harness \$8,\$9 and Idaho this week to buy horses to see his fine display of \$10.

G. L. Ferris.

Such a market as this is worth buggy harness \$8,\$9 and Idaho this week to buy horses to shown by the way the people are feed in Missouri A most enjoyable time was had chant having sold over sixty barrels

A New Millinery Store. Mrs. M. J. Rose's new millinery store, just east of the Christian

LETTER LIST. "Well, good night, Mr. F—,"

replied the young girl. "Oh, by the way," she added, "I want to show you my sachet bag before you go. It will only take a couple

Wm. Staples, one of the best engine at Heyer Bro.'s saw mill on Beaver Dam.

Judge Rogers says he will have big threshing maching in the Washington, D. C.

MEXICO, Mo., May 13, 1891.

LIST OF LETTERS remaining in the week ending May 14, 1891, and which, if not called for within two weeks, will be sent to the Dead Letter Office at Washington, D. C.

el Eaff Minnie
Elliott Payton
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Fancett Mrs. Mary
Fancher Chas.
Frazer Luzzie
on Gray Mary
(2) Gibbs Cannie
Hays Richard
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Henderson Libbie
Hickman Luke
Johnson R. L.
Jones John F.
Kernes Mary
Sue
Mangler Clara
Marshall Thomas
Sydens ricker Samuel
Williams Mrs. Mary
JNO. W. BEATTY, P. M.

East of Christian Church. For the latest styles, best and cheapest millinery goods, call and see Mrs. M. J. Rose. Everything

Dr. Halley has returned from fumigating and arranging to raise dull afternoon. The stranger came sembled in that city. There were present from Mexico Mo., W. H. Kennen, C. M. Lackland and R. M. Week and for the fourth quarter to White.

Parties who haul garbage out
Sembled in that city. There were present from Mexico Mo., W. H. Week and for the fourth quarter to date, showing per cent lost and reighbors and friends for their buggies. 8, 9 and 10 dollars gets a good set of future.

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Lon. S. McGinnis, of Montgom-

Arrested For Forgery. J. J. Gentry, John Truesdale Cleveland and Francis as the and Robert Hart were arrested to-Farmers' Alliance has been in ses- Democratic presidential ticket is day by a United States Marshal, sion in this city this week revising fast becoming more and more pop-the insurance business of the Alli-ular all over the United States. charged with illegally claiming have here?" the captain asked, is an energetic young man and ance. Everything is now ready How could this ticket be strength- witness fees in the United States Court. All are prominent men Simply by having Cleveland de- and J. J. Gentry lives in this coun-

> City to-day. Dr. Toalson is home from St Louis, where he went with Tom There will be a called meeting of Wright, a brother of Grant Wright, of his ribs. He will remain in the hospital for some time, but is do-

Pat Kearns and Miss Amands Robert Shock or myself, and have at St. Brenden's Catholic Church, McGee, of this city, were married at 11 a. m., Tuesday, by Father GER, is to read a paper at the Missouri Press Association, in Sep.

Morris, Mexico, and settle up.

Dempsey. They will reside at the groom's new residence in Southgroom's new residence in South-west Mexico.

> THE Presidential train is making toward the rail. such a clatter on its way over the Surries, fine and cheap, at country that Mr. Harrison may

HARDIN LADIES' COLLEGE

Music-Commencement Exercises and May Festival.

S. Houston and J. W. Trimble, on 31, by Rev. W. Pope Yeaman, D. exercises. The 2nd floor com-

The cut shows the new buildngs at Hardin. They comprise three large halls and six smaller rooms. On the first floor is the dining hall, 61x38 feet, 14 feet pitch. On the same floor is the Annual sermon, Sunday, May "College Hall" for the daily chapel prises the "Concert Hall," fitted now located in Harrisonville, Mo. Square, is one of Mexico's most Graduating exercises, Wednes-up with opera chairs and lighted by solid and prosperous business en-day, June 3, 8 o'clock, p. m. up with opera chairs and lighted by electricity. It has a seating ca-dalia, returned home this afterterprises. This firm has been in Art Levee, Friday, May 29. 8 pacity of 1,200, and ever one pro- noon, after a brief visit to the fam- York murderors, will have to die business in Mexico for eleven years, and is known all over Augres, and is known all over Augres, and adjoining counties to be square and reliable in all its dealings. This firm carries a complete to 11 p. m.

Grand Concert, Treloar director, business it a gem of beauty and elegance. The State of Missouri has recently chartered "The Mogrand Concert, Echirmacher director, June 1, 8 e'clock, p. m.

Grand Concert, Echirmacher director, dealings. This firm carries a complete to 11 p. m.

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College Hall.

The wise provision made by Gov. debt, is a grand monument to Gov. Hardin in endowing this College, Hardin, a public spirit and liberalhas made it possible to erect this ity to the women of Missouri. splendid edifice without touching From every part of the great West, the principal, or encroaching upon ladies are flocking hither to reap that part of the income set spart to the benefit of his beneficence. In increase the endowment. This the last two years, thirteen teachers superb property, ten acres, with have gone forth from this College buildings 80x250 feet, elegantly and Conservatory, to fill position

Homer Bassford to Detroit Free Press

HE WANTED TO KNOW. The big, flat-bottomed western steamer had not made a landing, and the captain was deliberating him to do so, when a thin voice men in St. Charles County."

piped off shore : "Say, cap'n, goin to land?" "Want anything?" sang out

the officer, going forward. "Wall, yes," came the deliberate reply, and thinking there was some business to be taken off, the master gave word to the pilot and the rudder and in the course of ten We shall miss thee from the chair

cents per dozen for eggs and get the captain, addressing the little 'Tis hard to give thee up, "When'r ye goin' back up stream ?" he queried, looking over

"In two weeks," replied the captain ; "what do you want ?" A triend we're glad in wonning. "Oh, I jest wanted to know," came the ingenuous response, "fer I was thinkin' of going up to Lexington in 'bout a month, an' I

thought I might go along." HE WAS A BAD MAN. It was at Matson's Landing, about fitty-five miles from St. Louis, that As the paper we peruse and scan, the whistle valve blew out and we How he works early and very late, were compelled to turn in shore Something good and new to create. half a mile down from the regular The paper is as precious as gold, stopping place. The bank was high where the boat stopped, so When the news we are seeking to find. that the surface of the ground was of the people kind notice it does take, on a level with the upper deck. A And something bright, of little does make. Causes joy in their hearts to be leaping, when at the paper they are peeping. patch of ground, thus effectually when the labors of the day are all o'er, shutting off any bit of breeze that And the EVENING LEDGER stops at our door, We often think as we closely read, might have been astir. It was That this is the recreation we need, midday of one of the hottest days For us it is a frank incense sweet, in a very warm July and there was To read of the friends we often do meet nothing to do but let the boilers In the LEDGER we every day find. cool off so that another valve could be put in. That meant the re- And gives them some very good rubs, mainder of the day and half the And it always appears so very bright, night. Everybody, from the captain to the newest roustabout, was And subscribe for this shining light.
out of sorts. It was with these And subscribe for this shining light.
Worth two the rice that is balled conditions surrounding us that we saw a visitor coming through the woods in our direction. We noticed that he was a trifle in his cups, Charles county, sold a car load of but for all that we were glad to see grade Jersey cattle at Benton City new and might help to pass that tralia, bought the highest price

"Hello," said the captain, "any body up to the landing ?"

man, with a surly air. "They're for Jones & Robinson's the scribe wishes him success. store, over in the woods."

"Naw, I won't take 'em." res-

ponded the stranger, pulling his

pirate-like black beard viciously. "Who will, then ?" "Don't know an' don't keer. said the man, "I'm bad, I am." "Well, you'll have to get off,"

"Get of ?" "That's what I said." "But I'm bad." "You must get off, all the same,"

"You've got to go," catching the man by the collar. "Hold on, cap'n, you don't know me. I've killed ten men." "Don't make no difference," said "Don't make no difference," said We have located a saw mill on the captain, dragging the intruder the land of David McGee, 3 1-2

"But I'm bad, I say, an' I kill."

not be able to hear any distance The pair had reached the rail, men for Republican recognition. hand, and gethering the stranger 4 3:

"But, see here, I'm mean ; I'm

uying materials.

equipped, with a capacity of 150 of honor and trust in the high schools and colleges of Kentucky, boarding pupils, besides class Missouri, Arkansas, Texas and

yellow flowers on shore. No sooner had he struck than the stranger turned over toward the boat, and pulling his long beard again viciously, he observed : 7.I'm a bad man, cap'n; and you'll find out by askin' up at the

Obituary. Dedicated to the memory of Mrs. Sophia frimble, who departed this life on the 2nd day

Thou was't tired and weary Of this mortal life below: Of thy trials sad and dreary, Thou wert glad from them to go. Thou has't tolled through life so long, To rear thy children, dear to thee; Now to think thy presence gone, And never more on earth to be

That was thy favorite place;

Yet we shall soon return to thee. We soon shall drink the bitter cup And go beyond, thy face to see. Who can soothe the hearts that love Thy footstep, at thy coming? Tis God alone that reigns above.

Dear Grandma, in thy home above, Meeting with friends who have gone Tell them, O tell those we love We soon shall meet on the other

Tribute to the Newspaper.

It speaks of the numerous clubs,

shore.

Written for the LEDGER

Grade Jersey Sale. A. Woodhull, of Foristell, St. him, because he was something Tuesday. J. D. Vinson, of Cen- To Sell or Buy a Farm, cow for \$60. Jno. J. Gill, of this To Sell or Buy City Property. on to the edge of the boat and reach- city, bought two nice young cows A Reliable Abstract,

Lon. S. McGinnis, of Montgomery, was in Mexico to-day. Mr. "Run it m'self," returned the McGinnis went to Louisiana on the afternoon train, where he ex-"Will you take the goods we pects to embark in business. Lon.

The remains of David Groves, who committed suicide at Mt. Pleasant, Iows, passed through Mexico to-day, going to Montgomery City for interment. Groves was a young man of about 20 years and his parents are prominent citi- REAL ESTATE & LOAD BEOKERS zens of Montgomery.

I am in it and in it to single and double, than continued the captain, moving to- half the harness shops put ward the black whiskered stranger. together in Mexico. G. L. Ferris.

> The finest line of children's shirt waiste to be found at L. G. Adams, Phenix Fire Insurance Company of Brooklyn, south side clothier. New Saw Mill.

lumber as reasonable as anybody. J. F. CAUTHORN. J. F. ASBURY.

Secretary Blaine is suffering from indigestion in New York. Miss Nimmie Jones is visiting

in Gainisville, Alabama. W. F. Crow, formerly a reside of this city, and a partner of Mr. Corner in the grocery business, is

Phil Rebman, who is well of the and return May 20, good to resmall pox, says he never felt bet turn until may 21 at \$1.56. ter in his life and says the small pox cured two or three chronic

ailments he had before. Jim Eubanks is without doubt the champion fisherman in this part of the State. He averages round trip tickets to Col from fifteen to twenty pounds of bass and croppie out of Salt River 17, at \$1.40. E. S. Wilson,

road will call tickets to Mo E. S. WHERE

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